

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	Hon. André M. Espinosa, U.S.M.J.
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v.	:	Mag. No. 22-11069
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EDISON SIME ACOSTA	:	ORDER FOR CONTINUANCE
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This matter having come before the Court on the joint application of Philip R. Sellinger, United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey (by Matthew C. DeSaro, Assistant United States Attorney), and Defendant Edison Sime Acosta (by Ernesto Cerimele, Esq., appearing), for an order granting a continuance of the proceedings in the above-captioned matter; and Defendant being aware that he has the right to have the matter submitted to a grand jury within 30 days of the date of his arrest pursuant to Title 18 of the United States Code, Section 3161(b); and Defendant, through his attorney, having consented to the continuance; and four prior continuances having been granted; and for good and sufficient cause shown,

IT IS THE FINDING OF THIS COURT that this action should be continued for the following reasons:

- (1) Both the United States and Defendant seek additional time to engage in plea negotiations to resolve this matter, which would render trial unnecessary;
 - (2) Defendant has consented to the aforementioned continuance;
 - (3) The grant of a continuance will likely conserve judicial resources;
- and

(4) Pursuant to Title 18 of the United States Code, Section 3161(h)(7), the ends of justice served by granting the continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and Defendant in a speedy trial.

WHEREFORE, it is on this 7th day of September, 2022;

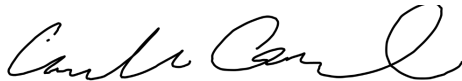
ORDERED that this action be, and it hereby is, continued from the date this Order is signed through and including October 6, 2022; and it is further

ORDERED that the period from the date this Order is signed through and including October 6, 2022 shall be excludable in computing time under the Speedy Trial Act of 1974.

S/André M. Espinosa

HONORABLE ANDRÉ M. ESPINOSA
United States Magistrate Judge

Form and entry consented to:



Ernesto Cerimele, Esq.
Counsel for Defendant

/s/ Matthew C. DeSaro

Matthew C. DeSaro
Assistant United States Attorney